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	First Named Inventor	Juan José CALDERÓN DE LOS SANTOS
	Group Art Unit	
	Examiner Name	
	Attorney Docket Number	1527-150
Title of the Invention: COMBINED SYSTEM FOR REMOVING CONTAMINANTS FROM GAS EFFLUENTS		

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application, preliminary to examination, as follows:

Amend claims 52 and 53, as shown on the following pages. Marked-up copies of the amended claims are attached to this amendment. Material inserted is indicated by underlining and material deleted is indicated by brackets.

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